

# KAISER'S SON ATTACKED BY POLICE

## EXTEND SABOTAGE INVESTIGATION

### CAPTURE OF KASSAY REVEALS HUGE PLOT AGAINST AIRCRAFT

Trace Wrecking Of Plane  
To Suspect Held  
In Akron

CLEVELAND, March 21.—Center of investigation in the alleged sabotage plot against the new navy dirigible, the "Akron," today moved to Cleveland where federal officials sought the aid of Cuyahoga County authorities in the probe of other reported sabotage offenses which were revealed with the arrest of Paul F. Kassay, 37, expert mechanic at Goodyear-Zeppelein Corporation, Akron.

Even though federal officials were silent as to the possible ramifications of the alleged sabotage plot, it was understood that the wreck of a bombing plane in San Diego, Calif., last Sept. 3, led to the investigation which finally resulted in the capture of Kassay.

The craft which fell to the ground after it collapsed in mid-air from a mysterious cause was one of the eighteen planes delivered to the navy in the spring of 1930 by the Great Lakes Aircraft Corporation, Cleveland. It was disclosed that Kassay had been employed by the Cleveland concern prior to the delivery and worked on the eighteen new planes.

Pilot W. P. Harrague was killed in the San Diego crash. Investigators said the upper wing of his plane became loose and collapsed.

United States District Attorney Wilfred Mahon declined to state how extensive the plot was known to be, but said that the San Diego crash was under investigation. He maintained that the actual investigation of the alleged sabotage plot began in Akron six weeks ago.

Kassay, who was arrested on the evidence supplied by federal agents who had worked by his side for several weeks at the Zeppelein plant, was to be given a preliminary hearing before Judge Frank Harvey in Akron municipal court today on charges of criminal syndicalism.

REPORT JIM DAVIS  
GOING INTO MOVIES

RADIO SPEECHES OF  
BUCKLEY READ INTO  
RECORDS AT TRIAL

Purported To Show  
Motive For Attack  
On Announcer

DETROIT, March 21.—The "voice" of Gerald Buckley came back from the grave today to accuse the underworld of his slaying. Radio speeches made by the murdered crime-cruising radio announcer were read into the records at the trial of Ted Pizzino, Angelo Livechi and Joe Bonmarito, three alleged gangsters, for his murder.

A total of sixty-four speeches comprised what the public knew as the "voice" of the slain radio idol. In them were found Buckley's attacks of the underworld and on the administration of Mayor Charles E. Woods, who was later ousted from a special election which Buckley had advocated.

Buckley, in the addresses, told of threats he had received from the underworld. It was just four days after he received the final threat that he was "put on the spot" in the lobby of the Lasalle Hotel in order that he might see his mother before she died.

Mrs. Stewart was born at Worthington, O., suburb of Columbus, and was married to Judge Gilbert Holland Stewart, who came to Ohio from Massachusetts. Their son, Donald Ogden, was born and reared in Columbus and educated at Yale. In recent years he has maintained residences at Long Island, N. Y., and in California. A sister of the author, Mrs. Singleton P. Outwater, also survives Mrs. Stewart.

Receipts for Wednesday — two days after the current income tax became due — were \$88,691,500 against \$214,534,500 collected on the same day last year.

Receipts for the first eighteen days of March amounted to \$194,945,800.

A reduction of \$120,000,000 from those during the same period in 1930, and for the fiscal year, from July 1, to March 18, \$1,366,300,000, a reduction of \$200,000,000.

WOMAN MUST AMEND  
VALEE COMPLAINT

NEW YORK, March 21.—Miss Pauline Klemp, elderly spinster, must file an amended complaint if she wishes to attempt to collect \$25,000 from Rudy Vallee. Her suit for \$25,000 against the radio crooner on the claim he slandered her in a song was dismissed yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Untermyer.

The court found no cause of action but allowed Miss Klemp twenty days in which to submit an amended complaint.

### Ex - Chancellor Hermann Mueller Dies In Germany

BERLIN, March 21.—The German Socialist party was leaderless today with the death of former Chancellor Hermann Mueller, who passed away last night after a long illness.

He was operated on a week ago, rallying temporarily. Pneumonia that developed was complicated by heart weakness. He was 54 years old. His wife and two daughters survive.

Herr Mueller, the "man of iron nerve," headed the cabinet twice and as chancellor enjoyed the distinction of holding office longer than any other. During his stewardship, he placed the reparations questions on a definite basis through the Young plan and released the Rhineland from foreign occupation.

Obscure before the World War except in local political circles, he gained a seat in the Reichstag in 1916 and soon became an influential figure in party politics. Since 1919 he has served twice as chancellor, his last term expiring a year ago. He was succeeded by Heinrich Bruening, the present Chancellor.

His death came at a time when the powerful socialist party, in which he wielded great influence, faced a desperate struggle to preserve its parliamentary prestige. Although intent on a political career, Dr. Mueller devoted himself to journalism in his spare time.

### INCOME TAX INCREASE WILL NOT COME BEFORE ELECTION IN 1932

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The country may face an increase in federal income taxes to offset anticipated treasury deficits, but not before the 1932 presidential campaign, it was learned today on Capitol Hill.

The expected deficit of \$700,000,000 on July 1, the end of the current fiscal year, will be met by the issuance of short term certificates.

Postponing the day of accounting. This will postpone a decision on increasing taxes until the end of the next fiscal year, or July 1, 1932. As that date falls in the midst of the next presidential campaign, political leaders were agreed there could be no increase in federal taxes until after the election.

The administration meanwhile

will try to hold down expenditures and institute government econ-



HERMANN MUELLER

dently unpopular with the public. He was born at Mannheim, in 1876, son of an industrialist. Although intent on a political career, Dr. Mueller devoted himself to journalism in his spare time.

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An owner of one establishment here stated that in the future "the sky would be the limit" in his place. The welcome sign has also been put out for women patrons.

The state has not yet set up machinery for the collecting of the tax provided in the gambling measure. License fees range from \$10 a week for slot machines to \$50 a week for other forms of gambling.

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## BUBBLE OF RICHES FOR MANY SPRINGER HEIRS IS EXPLODED

By LARENCE DUMOND  
International News Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Mar. 21.—An \$80,000,000 dream bubble of the Springer heirs has been burst, declares surveyor Reid C. Springer, who has spent eight years unsuccessfully trying to establish the claim of 1200 of the heirs that they have title to the richest part of the city of Wilmington, Delaware.

For almost a hundred years the descendants of Charles Springer have fought to get possession of nearly 1000 acres they believed should still be in the name of the original Springer in this country. On the 1000 acres tract, they believed, stood the city of Wilmington.

But after years of thumbing musty, forgotten deeds and quit rent records the surveyor appointed by the Springer Heirs, Inc., Chicago, has discovered that the first Springer acted only as trustee for a church in signing his name to a deed for half the land, and the other half was willed to his two sons who sold it out of the Springer line. This surveyor, the Reid C. Springer of today who is the surveyor of Woodsdale, Long Island, has an interesting story to tell about running the myth of fabulous wealth into the ground.

In 1878 a 20-year-old lad was shanghaied in London and brought to Virginia as an indentured servant. He was Charles Christopher Springer, son of Christopher Springer who was then inspector of the Royal College Exchequer in Stockholm. He served his five years as servant, then travelled to the Swedish colony on the banks of the Delaware, and acquired land. The former indentured servant, one of the few educated men of his time in the colonial settlement, became trustee for the Holy Trinity Church. He transacted business for the church and for himself, acquiring more property. On March 26, 1738, he died at the age of 80 years.

A hundred years later his descendants, increased and scattered over the country, remembered the old Springer estate and began to wonder what had become of the properties. By 1872 they had begun to band together in their search, and came to believe the lands were in the center of the growing city of Wilmington. In recent years they estimated their worth from \$80,000,000 to \$150,000,000.

But the Springer of the present day who investigated found complete disillusionment. The part of the land really owned by the original Springer was on the outskirts of the city—nice farming land, worth today about \$125,000. But the two sons of the first Springer sold the land to Charles Grouse and wife shortly after their father died, and title passed out of the Springer clan.

The other 566 acres once in Springer's name has been owned by the church, for which he was trustee, and after his death other trustees, acting in his place, sold the land in small parcels.

Thus Mr. Springer is today trying to convince the Springer heirs that the \$200,000 they spent looking for a fortune might better have been put in a bank.

The 1200 Springer heirs are now scattered to every section of the country. Some of the cities where the now live are: Akron, O.; Altoona, Pa.; Boulder, Colo.; Bismarck, N. D.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Baltimore, Md.; Cheyenne, Wyo.; Cairo, Ill.; Columbus, O.; Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Cincinnati, O.; Chicago, Ill.; Dayton, O.; Denver, Colo.; Danville, Ill.; Dallas, Texas; Detroit, Mich.; Des Moines, Ia.; Easton, Calif.; Edmonton, Alta.; Emporia, Kans.; Flint, Mich.; Fort Dodge, Ia.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Fort Worth, Texas; Fargo, N. D.; Kansas City, Mo.; Keokuk, Ia.; Pomeroy, Ont.; London, Ont.; Lansing, Mich.; Long Beach, Calif.; Los Angeles, Calif.

And Lima, O.; Jackson, Mich.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Mexico, N. Y.; Madison, Wis.; Oakland, Calif.; Pomona, Calif.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Portland, Ore.; Palo Alto, Calif.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Spokane, Wash.; Seattle, Wash.; Sioux City, Ia.; St. Paul, Minn.; St. Petersburg, Fla.; Superior, Wis.; San Antonio, Texas; St. Louis, Mo.; Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Santiago, Calif.; Stockton, Calif.; San Francisco, Calif.; Toledo, O.; Terre Haute, Ind.; Wilmington, Del.; Wichita, Kans.; Vancouver, B. C.; Zanesville, O.; Big Trail, Wyo.

### Indian Wedding



A large silk flag and 48 ponies were among items given the bride's father when Lorena Wood, 16, above, became the wife of Elmer Pryor, also 16, at Pawhuska, Okla, at a ceremony which embraced the full Osage ritual. This was the first time the ancient ceremony had been used in three years. Pryor, son of Chief Fred Lookout of the Osage tribe, invited 1,000 guests, for whose entertainment he paid \$10,000.

## Romance of Beauty Winner Ends in Tragedy

The Famous Dimples That Brought Charlotte Nash Beauty's Crown, Roused the Jealousy of Her 54-Year-Old Husband, Whom She Shot in Self-defense.



HONEYMOONERS at CHAMONIX, FRANCE

No trace of the tragedy that was later to enter her life is manifest in the picture of Charlotte Nash, when as a famed beauty she participated in the Atlantic City, N. J., pageant in 1923 as "Miss St. Louis." She later became the wife of Fred Nixon-Nirdlinger, wealthy Philadelphia theatrical magnate. Now she sits in a prison at Nice, France, where she has confessed to firing in self-defense the fatal shots which left her a widow and her two children, Fred, Jr., 3, and Charlotte, 18 months old, fatherless.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 21.—With her famed dimples in full blossom, in the fad of Summer of 1923, winsome Charlotte Nash strode down Atlantic City's boardwalk. As "Miss St. Louis" she was one of the contestants in the beauty pageant of that year at this famous seaside resort. She won first prize in the boardwalk parade and was fourth among the international beauties, also a close

runner-up for the coveted title of "Miss America."

Romance bloomed with Charlotte's dimples and awoke an answering chord in the heart of Fred G. Nixon-Nirdlinger, Philadelphia millionaire theatrical magnate, who was the guiding star of the pageant of that year.

He fell madly in love with Charlotte. Although married at the time to Mrs. Laura McKenna,

## APRIL POSTER USED IN CAMPAIGN TO EDUCATE SAFETY FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Hey  
There-  
You wait,  
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THE picture above is a reproduction of the current poster being used by police and the Greene County Auto Club in their joint campaign to encourage traffic safety.

The posters are distributed in the interests of the safety education campaign of the American Automobile Association, in which the local club, police and the sheriff's office co-operate.

Club officials say the safety posters have played an important part in the downward trend of accidents involving school children as compared to the increase in the number affecting adults. "It

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In a letter addressed to James Adair, president of the school board, Prof. Schlesinger said: "Since no member of the Schlesinger family now remains in Xenia, I have long been wanting to establish some modest memorial which would commemorate the fact that my father gave so many years of his life and service to the cause of education in Xenia."

The former Xenian expressed the hope that, from time to time, this initial capital sum of \$100 would be added to by contributions from himself and others, and that the high school may eventually be in a position where it will be able to add to its collections by buying the newly published works in the field of history and literature.

The city board of education, in accepting the gift, also agreed to the conditions as set forth by Prof. Schlesinger.

President Adair points out that the high school library has recently been put into good shape by the receipt of \$1,000 from the state, but that the \$100 fund established by Prof. Schlesinger will nevertheless be of utility since the income which it will yield will go on indefinitely.

Ready for her record-seeking flight, Miss Ruth Nichols, society aviatrix, presented this unusual picture at the Jersey City, N. J. airport. She is shown wearing the oxygen cup necessary for breathing in the rarified atmosphere she reached.

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## Miss Sara Lee Engilman Is Married Thursday

In a quiet ceremony witnessed only by members of the immediate families, Miss Sara Lee Engilman, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Engilman, W. Main St., was united in marriage to Mr. Sol Arnovitz, Cincinnati, at the home of the bride's parents Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The single ring ceremony was performed by Rabbi Burick, Dayton, and the wedding party stood under a silk canopy in the music room of the Engilman home. The canopy was the same used when

### XENIAN MARRIED IN SPRINGFIELD MONDAY

Miss Winifred Sheets, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sheets, W. Second St., this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Emmett O'Connor, Springfield, Monday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Mr. Miller, pastor of a Springfield M. E. Church. The marriage came as a surprise to friends of the bride here.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor expect to go to Connorsville, Ind., in a week and will make their home there, where Mr. O'Connor is employed. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Connor, Springfield. Mrs. O'Connor is a graduate of Xenia Central High School with the class of 1928 and has been employed as a stenographer with the General Electric Co., Dayton.

Mrs. Ray Krug, Spring Valley, who has been ill with sciatic rheumatism, is improved and able to be up.

Mrs. Paul Baughn, N. West St., who is critically ill, was removed to Espy Hospital Saturday afternoon. Her condition remains the same.

Chaplain George LaClede Markel, of the U. S. S. Arizona, will speak at the First Presbyterian Church, Cedarville, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Chaplain and Mrs. Markel are spending several days with Mrs. Markel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis, Cedarville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKay and daughter, Mary Ann, Athens, O., are guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McKay, W. Church St.

Mrs. T. F. Myler and daughters, Elizabeth and Priscilla and Janet Frazer spent Saturday in Washington C. H. with friends.

Mrs. Alva Hampton and daughter, Betty, Wamsley, O., have been the guests this week of Mrs. Hampton's mother and sister, Mrs. Clara Jones and Mrs. Pearl Wittenmyer, N. Galloway St.

Andrew Frazer, son of Postmaster and Mrs. C. S. Frazer, W. Church St., is ill with the mumps.

Mrs. Wilbur Weaver, whose home was destroyed by fire Tuesday, is staying at the home of her niece, Mrs. A. B. Miller, S. Monroe St.

Miss Viola Nagley, of Springfield, who underwent an operation last week at the Quinn private hospital, Springfield, is recovering nicely. Miss Nagley has many friends in this city and in Cedarville.

Ten guests were entertained at a dinner party Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin Walker at their home in Jamestown. A four course dinner was served and appointments were carried out in color scheme of orchid, green and yellow. Following the dinner guests read their fortunes received from Lorna Fautin, radio numerologist.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker's guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cresswell, Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clemens, Cedarville; Mr. and Mrs. Carmi Jones, Chillicothe and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCorkell, this city.

**THIMBLE CLUB IS ENTERTAINED FRIDAY**  
Forty-one members and six visitors of the Rebekah Thimble Club were entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilson Morgan, Goe's Station. Two contests were enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. Bruce Baumgart, Osborn and Mrs. P. C. Bankerd.

An ice course was served later in the afternoon by Mrs. Morgan assisted by Mrs. Anna Emmerick, Mrs. Howard Taylor, Mrs. Jacob Miller, Mrs. H. W. Cleaver, Mrs. Guy Snider, Mrs. Owen Swadener, Mrs. Preston Reef and Mrs. F. F. Filson.

**MAYBE I'M WRONG**  
By John P. Medbury

A husband may be willing to die for his wife, but that's no sign she should take him to death.

**Take It Or Leave It**  
Very few tappers are as bad as they're painted.

**Wonders Of Nature**  
It matches are made in Heaven, it gives you an idea where cigar lighters must be manufactured.

**American Tragedies**  
The old maid who had her face lifted so high she can't look under bed so high.

**Social Accomplishments**  
Hand painted china is all right, but when a man's hungry he likes his plate decorated with meat and potatoes.

**Efficiency Experts**  
The actor who joined the show for the banquet in the second act.

**Null And Void**  
The concealed fellow who wanted the Carnegie Foundation to give him a medal for saving his own life.

**The Good Old Daze**  
It's better to have liquor on the mind than water on the brain.

**Excuse It Please**  
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## What Price for Handsome Husband?

Buffeted By Fickle Fortune, Francis X. Bushman, One-time Great Lover of the Stage, Offers Himself As a Husband to the Highest Bidder

By ALICE ALDEN

CHICAGO, March 21.—Ladies used to go to the movies just to gaze at his Grecian profile. Many of you, even if you won't admit it, used to swoon at the idea of even meeting this super-being, this demi-god who could make his love scenes so convincing that one could hear little hearts go pita-pata. And now if you still like him, you may have a chance to buy him.

For Francis X. Bushman, former movie idol, has tumbled from his pedestal of fame and riches and may put himself on the market to be purchased by a woman of means. For still handsome Frank, who is so hard up that he is even braving the terrors of Chicago to act in stock there, is fed up with love marriages. He has made two, and neither of them took, despite the second one being cited as the romance that was to end all romance for others. It certainly did for Bushman, for his marriage to Beverly Bayne was not a success.

Despite all the glamor and publicity attendant on it, it failed just as had his first marriage to the woman who bore him five children. And so, few can blame Bushman for trying to mix mammon with his next matrimonial venture.

Bushman is forty-seven years old and has crowded a couple of life times of romance, thrills and vicissitudes into his existence. He has climbed the golden ladder of fame twice, and twice he has tumbled to the inky pit of failure, despair and poverty that sprawls gaping at the bottom rung. Perhaps if he decides to allow some wealthy woman to endow him, he may be able to clutch at the straws of fame once more. But he would no doubt attract a very different audience. For judging by his whole hearted endorsement of the gigolo, he may become the idol of all the women who include the gigolo among their household pets. And as everyone who goes round in social circles here and on the continent knows, their number is considerable—quite sufficient to make a new fan army for Bushman.

If Bushman ever runs the advertisement as he framed it, there should be plenty of response, if not a rush of applications. He terms himself an ex-millionaire, athletic, gives his weight and height, describes his health as perfect and his appearance as intact.

His tastes, he says, or perhaps warns, are expensive, his bridge he describes as fairly good and he terms himself sportsman by preference, actor by necessity. None of which reads very much like the blurb that the publicity writers used to put out about him in the good old days.

When Bushman was at the pinnacle of his fame in the years 1916 to 1918, he lived high and luxuriously. The finest apartments in the best hotels, regal suites on palatial steamships, private railroad cars, all these were routine affairs for the Bushman entourage. His automobile knocked flimdon for a goal. It was lavender and his chauffeur and footman were attired in lavender liveries to tone with the enormous car. Romance, riches, renown, these were Bushman's three R's. He and his co-star, Beverly Bayne, were the prime heart palpitations of the movie world and public. But after his first wife, Josephine K. Bushman, divorced him in 1918 and his subsequent marriage to Beverly, his fame began to decline. Movie fans of that period wanted the nice, virtuous, good chaps that the movies featured and villains were not in vogue. But later Bushman began to ascend the ladder again and from 1921 to 1924 made quite a comeback. In the latter year, while he was in Italy, Beverly Bayne divorced him and another perfect romance went on the rocks. Since then he has spent his own money trying to produce his own picture. But the tide of success had turned from him.

That Bushman has learned to interpret life in ultra-modern terms is evidenced by his defense of the gigolo. Bushman thinks that most useful being sadly maligned and declares that if he brings happiness and glamor to some elderly perhaps plain woman, well, he's a regular boy scout when it comes to good deeds. But he scorns such a motive as far as his own self is concerned. For he feels that he has much very much to offer the right woman, provided that she can support him in the style to which he used to be accustomed.

Mrs. Painter, 45, wife of Orville E. Painter, formerly of this city, died Friday evening at 6 o'clock at her home in Richmond, Ind., according to word received here. She had been ill a year suffering from heart trouble and complications and her condition had become serious three weeks ago.

Mrs. Painter was born in Lumberton in July 1885, the daughter of David and Jane Conklin. She lived there until her marriage to Mr. Painter when they moved to Xenia. They lived there a number of years and then went to Dayton, later moving to Richmond, where Mr. Painter was employed by The Eavey Co. While here she was a member of the First Reformed Church.

Besides her husband Mrs. Painter is survived by two sons, Harold and Paul, at home and a daughter, Miss Ruth Painter, who is a member of the Westminster Choir, with headquarters at Ithaca, N. Y. Miss Painter had been on a tour with the choir but returned home when her mother's condition became serious. Two brothers, J. B. Conklin, near Xenia, and Grant Conklin, Lumberton, also survive. A brother and a sister preceded Mrs. Painter in death.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the English Lutheran Church, Richmond and burial will take place in Richmond.

Sparks from the fine set fire to the roof Friday evening and resulted in a \$15 damage. Firemen extinguished the blaze with chemicals.

**SHRINERS INVITED**

MARION, O., March 21.—Shriners from all over North America today were invited to attend the dedication of the Harding Tomb here June 16 by President Hoover. The national Shrine convention will be held in Cleveland a few days before and local officials have asked members to stay in Ohio for the dedication, since the late president Harding was a Shriner, having been affiliated with the Aladdin Temple at Columbus.

**SIGNS OF SPRING**

YOUNTVILLE, Calif.—For the first time in a quarter century, the number of civil war veterans at the California Veterans' Home here has dropped below the hundred mark. Only ninety survivors of the war of '61 remained today and most of them were too feeble to leave their hospital quarters.

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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

There is an evil which I have seen under the sun, and it is common among men: A man to whom God hath given riches, wealth, and honour, so that he wanteth nothing for his soul of all that he desireth, yet God giveth him not power to eat thereof, but a stranger eateth it: this is vanity, and it is an evil disease.—Ecclesiastes, vi, 1, 2.

## AMERICAN INVESTORS

The financial editor of the London Times accuses American investors of falling down on the job of providing developmental capital for foreign countries. The lavish lending of American dollars abroad in 1926 and 1927 created the hope that the great wealth of the United States "was to be widely available for the restoration of Europe's economic situation and that increasing foreign loans by the United States would create a more equitable distribution of the world's gold stocks." What seems to have surprised the Times' financial writer most is that this hope should have been shattered—or at least deferred, at a time when, after the collapse of the bull market in Wall street, American capital might have been expected to look abroad for the opportunities for profitable investment, which low money rates and the contraction of the domestic investment field, due to business depression, denied it at home.

The charge that American capital has not done its part in the development and stabilization of world economic conditions loses much of its weight when it is remembered that at the end of last year, American investments abroad amounted to \$17,500,000,000, as against a total of \$2,600,000,000 at the end of 1914. That represented an increase of nearly \$15,000,000,000 in sixteen years, or approximately a billion dollars a year. At a time when American funds were needed at home, where the developmental field is still far from being fully tilled, a billion dollars a year loaned to other countries would seem to be a fairly generous contribution to world economics.

As the speculative orgy in Wall street became more and more hectic, Americans poured all their available funds into it; and so did many foreigners, whose own money had been released for speculation by the American loans their countries had received in the past. This curtailed the amount available in this country for foreign loans. When the bubble burst a good deal of American capital was rendered idle.

Why did it not immediately flow abroad? One reason was the "scare" which American investors received from the collapse of the market. They began hoarding their money. Another reason was the unsettled conditions in South America by revolutions and in Europe by the Franco-Italian naval dispute and the threat contained in the rise of the Hitlerites in Germany.

Capital is cautious. With the improvement of the political situations in foreign countries requiring loans, American funds may be expected to renew their trek abroad. The head of one of Wall street's largest banks predicts that within sixty days foreign financing will be resumed on the New York market. The advantages of reasonable foreign lending, as means of creating new business, are undoubtedly; and, when conditions at home and abroad are such as to permit it to be safely and profitably engaged in, American dollars are not likely to be found lagging.

Admiral Byrd's overcoat was stolen while he was posing for the photographers in Florida. What a million and a half Floridians will rise to ask is why any man dared wear an overcoat in their sun-kissed state.

The D. A. R.'s refusal to allow Sinclair Lewis to deliver a lecture in Constitution Hall will probably please him as much as the Nobel prize did.

It is hoped that Mr. Wickersham is not beginning to grow peevish under criticism.

## ALL of US

—By—  
MARSHALL MASLIN

## DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN—

You called at the house to take Your Girl to a party, her mother warned you to have her home by half-past eleven or twelve at the latest. And she meant it, too. . . . In those days mothers worried if their children stayed out later than midnight and imagined all sorts of terrible things were happening.

## HAY RIDES WERE FUN

Hay rides were fun. You hired a farmer's wagon and his two horses and he did the driving. He filled his wagon with straw and 20 boys and girls piled in, giggling and shouting—at first. After a while a boy put one arm about His Girl, and Held Her Hand, too. . . . He didn't kiss her then. That came later, after the Hay ride, at the party, when they played Wink and Post-office and Forfeits. Kissing was quite a public affair in those days.

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There were chaperones then. The "rag" was considered almost indecent. They danced the Paul Jones and the Virginia Reel. The most glamorous girl in town was the stranger who played the piano in the theatre where they sang the illustrated songs between motion pictures of Alkaline Ike and John Bunney and Maurice Costello.

When boys dressed up, they wore blue serge suits, high stiff collars with narrow ties, patent leather shoes and "hot socks." Sometimes the girls wore ribbons in their hair.

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Saturday was a big night, when the band played in the plaza and the stores stayed open till 9 o'clock and you walked 'round and 'round the park, the girls arm in arm, the boys in a bunch—in opposite directions—saying silly things to each other when they met.

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What nation rules Canada? Canada has the status of a Dominion of the British Empire. The governor-general is appointed by the British crown. The Dominion parliament is composed of two houses. The senate is appointed for life by the governor-general and the house of commons is elected by the people. The Dominion is self-governing, but is within the British Empire. The Canadians do not pay taxes to the British crown.

Tallest Building  
What is the tallest building in the United States?

The Empire State building, in New York, is the tallest in the United States. It is 86 stories, plus dirigible mooring mast (1,248 feet) high.

## Time

London is 3,200 miles east of New York City. San Francisco is 3,200 miles west of New York City. Why is the difference in time between New York City and London 5 hours and 25 minutes and the difference between New York and San Francisco only 3 hours and 45 minutes?

Difference in time is a matter of degrees rather than miles. It is, therefore, the distance east to west that counts. London is northeast of New York, while San Francisco is almost directly west. London is in the same time zone as Greenwich (Central meridian 0 degrees); New York is in the Eastern Standard time zone (75 degrees west of Greenwich); San Francisco is in the Pacific time zone (120 degrees west of Greenwich), which makes New York five hours slow on Greenwich time and San Francisco eight hours, which accounts for the greater difference in time between New York and London than New York and San Francisco.

Old Age Security  
Please tell me something about the American Association for Old Age Security? Who is the secretary of the organization?

This association was formed in 1927 at Rock Island, Ill., by a group of socially minded men and women to promote the establishment of adequate protection for the dependent aged of America and to promote legislation throughout the states for old age pensions as well as in congress. The secretary is Abraham Epstein, 22 East Seventeenth street, New York City.

Henry Ford  
Where can Henry Ford be reached by letter?

Dearborn, Mich., is his address.

Farmer Loan  
Where does one apply for a government farm loan?

Write the Federal Farm Loan Bureau, 810 Seventeenth street, Washington, D. C.

Service Record  
Which congressman has served the most number of terms? How many?

Representative Gilbert N. Haugen of Iowa has served 16 terms, or 32 consecutive years.

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Peter's Adventures  
By Mrs. Florence Smith Vincent

## GOODBY TO INSECT LAND

"Well, fellow Flea, what's the message? Out with it!" commanded Centipede. Flea chuckled.

"Maybe you'll wish I had delayed longer when you hear the news, the bad news! I came to tell you that you need be in no hurry to go home, Centipede, because you have no home. It is buried under a head of sawdust and shavings!"

"Sawdust and shavings!" repeated Peter, puzzled. But Centipede knew what Flea was talking about.

"That low down rascal of Carpenter Bee has done it!" shrieked he.

In spite of all that I could do or say, she had kept on boring a hole in the tree trunk above my home, and deliberately dropped all the shavings and sawdust down upon my roof. Of course my roof has caved in! Dear me, what a calamity! Now I have no place to lay my head when night falls."

Off rushed Centipede to find out how great was the damage.

"That's a hard blow for poor Centipede," remarked Peter.

"Glad of it!" answered Flea.

"Pity the creature wasn't inside his house when it caved in. That fellow gobbled up one of my brothers the other day, and I've got it in for him. Well, so long!

I'm off to see how Centipede takes things. Maybe I can goad him into biting off one of his legs, or something!" Away hopped Flea.

Again Peter was alone with time to think.

"Dear Spirit of the Old Oak Tree, how glad I am that I saved your life, and that you repaid me with the gift of understanding the language of all living things and the 'magic' that helps me to grow the same size as the folk of the field and forest. If it hadn't been for you I should never have guessed there were carpenters and messengers, bridge builders, nurses and so forth in Insect-land, just as in the world of Humans. I have had such a good time roaming the fields with Sam, Spider, Grasshopper, Esquire, Dawdler, the Duke of Beeline, and Busy the Ant! Sometime I shall come back to play with the creepers and crawlers, but now I want to go home!"

"Watch! Listen!" cried Peter. The magic worked. In the twinkling of an eye, Peter, who had been no taller than Daddy Long-Legs, and Gran'ther Greypeard, was boy-size again. He strode off toward the old brown farmhouse, thinking of his wonderful adventures.

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KILL 'EM WITH KINDNESS

Even foreigners who crowd in past the Statue of Liberty with a grouch and a grievance against the Town of Towers are treated with affable generosity.

There was "Kid" Priestly, the British novelist, who barged along recently and who'd hardly landed before he was making cold, unfeeling remarks about all of us in general and some in particular.

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# SPORT SNAP SHOTS

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## MEET THE MANAGER

BY JACK SORDS

The Softball Commission is face to face with a rather knotty problem. The commissioners reveal the Carroll-Binder Co., which sponsored a team in the National League last summer, has changed its mind and has withdrawn its entry for the coming season.

This reduced the number of entrants to nine, but the deficit was more than made up by the applications of Wood's Barber Shop and St. Brigid Catholic Church to enter teams.

Now there are eleven teams in the field, still an unwieldy number, and there are just two alternatives: either one more team must be enrolled or one of the present entrants must be persuaded to withdraw.

In the event twelve teams are obtained, it would presumably be necessary to schedule games for every day in the week except Sunday and games on Saturday evenings might not be so desirable.

Of paramount importance also is the money problem. The Xenia Playground Association, according to Secretary E. E. Boxwell, has exactly \$174 in the treasury to help finance the sport this summer, this sum representing the profit realized from the long-drawn-out post-season benefit series staged by the Lang Chevrolet Co., 1930 city champions, and an all-star team last September.

This amount, however, is hardly sufficient to cover the cost of buying balls this year and additional money is being raised by accepting voluntary donations from softball fans, every contribution making the donor a member of the association. The new inside seam balls also cost more than the outside seam sphere, Boxie says.

Preliminary to opening the season the third Monday in April, the diamond at Cox Field must be placed in condition. Boxie has also bought a little push-card contrivance with which to simplify the task of properly marking off the boundary lines, and has devised a new plan for the batter's boxes on each side of home plate. Planks will be sunk into the ground and these will have rubber edges extending an inch or so up from the four sides so that hereafter there can be no arguments as to whether batters are standing too close or too far away from the platter.

Another moot point which must be thrashed out by the team is the question of wearing spiked shoes. A majority of the players would vote against spikes because of the likelihood of injuries from the sharp cleats, but Boxie has obtained samples of some tennis shoes equipped with rubber spikes. These might answer the purpose and still not lay the players open to injuries.

Former Sheriff Ohmer Tate, who is back home after a long sojourn in the sunny South and environs, advises Xenia fans to cancel their reservations for tickets to the opening game of the Cincinnati Reds April 14. He watched the Reds in spring training.

## Bowling

The Krippendorf-Dittman Co. took what amounts to a stranglehold on first place in the City Bowling League by winning three straight games from the Central Acceptance Corp., while the second-place American Legion team was losing three games in a row to the last-place Carroll-Binder Co., in a double-header in the league Friday night. Box scores: Krippendorf,

Manor 149 132 137; Galtice 168 134 156; Flynn 135 142 150; Christ 146 178 134; Dudley 182 165 133.

Totals 780 751 710.

Cen. Acceptance.

Crawford 128 99 134; North 126 121 126; Hiser 109 169 160; Davis 107 167 120; Ferris 169 170 162.

Totals 639 726 702.

Carroll-Binder.

Peters 157 182 165; Gegner 161 182 201; Vannorsdall 135 174 139; Neville 147 133 123; Dummy 115 115 115.

Totals 715 786 743.

American Legion.

Halder 147 166 175; R. Smith 152 153 153; P. Fuller 159 159 125; Tate 126; Dummy 115; Dummy 115 115 115.

Totals 688 719 668.

## EDDIE ROUSH MAY AGAIN BECOME RED

HOUSTON, March 21.—Eddie Roush, veteran outfielder, whose name was recently restored to the Giants roster after he had been in retirement for a full season, will probably become a member of the Cincinnati Reds.

John McGraw advised today he is in a receptive mood toward the negotiations for the outfielder's services broached yesterday by President Sidney Weil of the Rhinebeck team.

Because of the nature of these dis-

## SPRIT OF REVOLT STILL PREVAILING AT JOLIET PRISON

JOLIET, Ill., March 21.—The spirit of revolt was still seething within the two state penitentiaries today as the legislative investigating committee sought the testimony of the Rev. George C. Whitmeyer, resigned Episcopalian chaplain. Militiamen still guarded both prisons.

It was the Rev. Whitmeyer who charged that cruel treatment in the prisons is common, the food served the convicts is bad and that narcotics and liquor have been circulated among the inmates. He resigned shortly before the recent series of riots, denouncing the killing by guards of three escaping convicts as "murder."

Members of the committee today were cognizant of the rebellious attitude of the prisoners after the dramatic interruption of their first hearing when rioting broke out in a cell block in the new prison at Stateville. Committee men arrived at the cell block in time to see several glass door panels kicked out by convicts and hear the screeching of 700 of the men denouncing the state parole board. They were subdued by militiamen and police.

## OHIO STATE COURT TOURNAMENT

By International News Service  
GAMES TODAY  
Class "A" Schedule

Canton McKinley vs. Lima Central 3:00 p. m.

Portsmouth vs. Akron West 4:00 p. m.

Final game for state champion ship, 9:00 p. m.

Class "B"

McConnellsburg vs. Youngstown Fitch, 1:00 p. m.

Newton Falls vs. Lancaster St. Mary's, 2:00 p. m.

Final game for state champion ship, 8:00 p. m.

## CLASS "A" RESULTS

Canton McKinley 25; Hamilton 21.

Lima Central 22; Columbus Central 26.

Akron West 31; Zanesville 21.

Portsmouth 30; Toledo Waite 21.

## CLASS "B" RESULTS

McConnellsburg 25; Bluffton 24.

Youngstown Fitch 30; Stewart 22.

Newton Falls 22; West Milton 19.

Lancaster St. Mary's 27; Toledo Whitmer 19.

## SEEK COADJUTOR

HARTFORD, Conn., March 21.—

Connecticut Episcopaleans will be asked, next autumn, to elect a bishop coadjutor to assist the Right Rev. E. Campion Acheson, who has been bishop for three years and finds his work so increasing that he must have aid.

Bishop Acheson is 73 years old.

Formal announcement of the Bishops desire to have a special diocesan convention in the fall will be made when the regular convention opens here in May.

## P.T. A. MEETING

RAVENNA, O., March 21.—Ses-

sions of the ninth annual confer-

ence of the northeast Ohio district

of the parent teachers congress got

under way here today with more

than 500 delegates attending.

## FORMER MAYOR DIES

MILLERSBURG, O., March 21.—

Arrangements for the funeral of

Samuel Fair, 60, Holmes County

Democratic leader and former

mayor of this village, were being

made here today. Fair died yester-

day.

## Varsity Star Wins Rhodes Scholarship

Meeting the New York Giants,

University of Texas, Montreal

International League club, Galveston

Texas League club, and the

Giants again, on successive days,

is bad enough, but to play these

games the Sox had to trudge 725

miles.

However, the Sox, globe trot-

ters that they are, cannot com-

pare with the owner of the club.

Charley Comiskey, White Sox

owner who was with his club in

San Antonio until they began their

exhibition game season, left for

Chicago to complete a 6,000-mile

auto jaunt begun in January.

The Sox have already dropped

Outfielder Buck Finlator, send-

ing him to Mobile under option.

While Donie Bush has been try-

ing to get his infield, his biggest

problem, into shape he has also

been having trouble in his receiv-

ing department. Lack of first-class

catchers to begin the season will

hamper the Sox.

## FLYERS ATTEMPT TO LOCATE SURVIVORS

THE vernal equinox stuck its head out beyond the equator Saturday morning at 9:07 o'clock, saw its shadow in the prevailing bright sun-

shine and predicted two more weeks of Lent, which is reasona-

ble since Easter comes April 5 if the calendar holds

out.

In its wake came the spring lambing—lambing, in fact, that spring is really here and that its shorn lambs will not be subject to bitter March winds. The whole thing is rather pathetic when you consider what March can do to a spring lamb. No wonder he feels sheepish.

## EARLY BLOSSOMS

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 21.—The Connecticut River valley will present its annual show of apple blossoms on May 6, and the upper part of the state will follow with a similar show a day or two later. Such is the prediction of E. M. Stoddard, state pomologist, who has been setting the date of the apple blossom season with great success for six years. An unusual warm spell upset calculations last year so that apple blossom season came with the first day of May.

HAZELLE M. STODDARD

CONTROLS DEPENDS ON HEALTHY STOCK

Profitable raspberry culture de-

pends on controlling the following

diseases: anthracnose, crown gall,

leaf curl, streak, and mosaic. Be-

cause of the nature of these dis-

eases, their control, according to L. M. Cooley, specialist in berry diseases at the Ohio Experiment Station, is dependent to a great extent on healthy planting stock.

Thus, the grower should become familiar with these diseases and procure planting stock from in-

spected parent stock only.

Anthracnose is caused by a

fungus and can be controlled by

proper spraying methods. If a

planting is started with anthrac-

nose-free stock, spraying may not

be necessary for several years.

Crown gall (cane gall, root knot, etc.) is a

bacterial malady. No successful

remedial measures have ever been

devised for this disease, since the

bacteria causing the gall are with-

in the tissues of affected plants.

Soil in which galled plants have

been grown becomes infested and

may harbor the bacteria for sev-

eral years. To obtain control, the

planting stock must be secured

from gall-free parent plantings and

grown on uninfested soil.

Leaf curl, streak, and mosaic dis-

eases are caused by viruses which

exist in the sap of diseased indi-

viduals and hence cannot be

reached by sprays or dusts. The

viruses are present throughout

the entire top and root systems of

affected plants. They are carried

from diseased to healthy plants by

# Classified Advertising

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PIANOS, \$50 to \$125. Easy pay-  
ments. John Harbine, Allen Building

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WANTED—Alr-light stove. Phone  
919-W.

WE BUY old gold, silver, discarded

jewelry, diamonds, watches, rings, antiques, false teeth. High-  
est prices. Simpson Trading Co.

6 Columbus Circle, New York  
City.

### Notice of Appointment

Estate of Mary Nogie, Deceased.  
Jennie Costenborder has been ap-  
pointed and qualified as Executor  
of the estate of Mary Nogie, late  
of Greenfield, Ohio, deceased.

S. C. WRIGHT,  
Probate Judge of said County.

3t; 3-7-14-21.

### SHERIFF'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

TRACTOR double bottom plow,  
price \$20. John Harbine, Allen  
Building.

LET FUDGE repair your furniture.  
We will call and deliver. 23 S.  
Whiteman St. Phone 754. Fudge  
Used Furniture Store.

FULGHUM SEED OATS—Tests 42  
lbs., grain from certified seed.  
O. A. Dobbins, Cedarville.

Clover Seed and Seed Oats  
Little seed, 100 lbs.  
Alike—\$14.00

Purity, 28—Germination, 90

No noxious weeds

Big, hard, round oats

Going fast, call at once

D. A. OLIVER

Bowersville—Phone 74-R-3

2t; 3-7-14-21-28.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The Home Building and Savings  
Co. vs. Joel Binkley, et al., Greene  
County Common Pleas Court, Case  
No. 1930, Order of Sale.

In pursuance of an order issued  
from the Common Pleas Court,  
within and for the County of  
Greene, and State of Ohio, made at  
Greenville, Ohio, the 20th day of March,  
1931, and to me directed, I will

offer for sale at Public Auction  
at the West door of the Court House  
on March 30, 1931, at 10 o'clock a.m.  
of said day, the following described

Personal Property, to-wit:

The undivided one-half interest in  
the 1930 Ford Model A automobile.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

John T. Harbine, Jr., Atty.

JOHN BAUGHN, Sheriff.

JOHN BAUGHN, Sheriff, Greene County, Ohio.

The above described personal

property has been levied upon by

me to satisfy an execution issued

to me by the Clerk of Courts of

Greene County, Ohio.

THE GREAT Sensation Oats, won-  
derful in quality and weight.

C. C. Turner, Phone 75-F-14.

FOR SALE—Coffee urn. In good  
condition. Cheap for quick sale.  
Ph. Co. 116-F-11 or address  
Frank Considine, Jamestown  
General Delivery.

FOR SALE—About 100 shocks of  
corn and some hay. Sem Ireland  
Ph. 265-W

TWO DURO electric pumps. In  
fine condition. Call 184 or see  
W. A. Spencer, Cedarville, O.

I HAVE taken over Cities Service  
Oil Co. service station on S. De-  
troit St., at railroad bridge. Stop  
in for your gasolines, oil, greases  
and courteous service given. Clar-  
ence C. Oglesbee.

SPRING HOUSE cleaning—Rent a  
floor polisher and buy Johnson's  
Wax at Eichman's.

BIG MIAMI and Siberian seed oats  
and all kinds of clover seed. De-  
Wine Feed Store, Home Ave  
Phone 801.

FOR SALE—Good garden manure.  
E. C. Confer. Phone Co. 14-F-2.

29 Musical—Radio

PIANOS, \$50 to \$125. Easy pay-  
ments. John Harbine, Allen Building

34 Apartments —Furnished

4 ROOM FURNISHED  
APARTMENT

Centrally located. Hot and  
cold water furnished.

Call Dr. A. C. Messenger.

35 Apartments Unfurnished

EITHER TWO or three rooms with  
heat. Heat and light furnished.

Modern. Six squares out. Call  
298-W.

FOR RENT—3-room, modern apart-  
ment, downstairs. Call Mildred  
Mason, Gazette.

6 ROOM apartment, second floor  
modern, good location two blocks  
from Court House. Phone 111  
Gazette Office.

39 Houses—Unfurnished

FOR RENT APR. 1—5-room house  
on Chestnut St. Phone 124-R.

5-ROOM HOUSE, electricity, gas,  
garage. Extra big garden, 180x67  
ft., worth \$60 a year to tenant  
\$16 per month. Phone 571-R.

5 ROOM COTTAGE on N. Detroit  
St. Modern. Call Dr. A. C.  
Messenger.

42 Miscellaneous for Rent

GARAGE for rent. 417 W. Marks  
St.

45 Houses For Sale

\$1,750 BUYS 6-room house, modern  
except furnace; garage. At 519  
W. Second St. For inspection  
and terms see caretaker at 503  
W. Second St.

10 Beauty Culture

MOVED—Poland Seed Store. On  
account of need more room we  
have moved one door east to  
Engilman's Store, with full line  
of dependable garden seed.

7 Lost and Found

LOST—Diamond ring. Liberal re-  
ward offered. Ph. 523 or 352-R.

8 Dry Cleaning, Laundry

RUG CLEANING—All ready with  
new up-to-date outfit and meth-  
ods. Shampooing, dry cleaning,  
sizing, 24 hour service. M. A.  
Ross. Phone 25-R.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all  
purposes. BOCKLET'S line of  
plumbing and heating supplies  
are the best. The Bocklet-King  
Co., 415 W. Main St.

17 Commercial Hauling

MOVE WITH GILBERT. Our motor  
vans mean speed and saving for  
your transfer work. Dayton,  
Xenia and Wilmington Motor  
Line. 126 W. Main, Xenia. Phone  
204.

MOVING STORAGE—General truck-  
ing. Lowest rates. Lang Trans-  
porter. Phone 728. Second and De-  
loit Sts.

18 Help Wanted—Male

POSITIONS aboard ocean liners;  
good pay. Hawaii, China, Japan.  
Experience unnecessary. Send  
stamped—addressed envelope. A.  
ALCULUS, Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

25 Poultry, Eggs, Supplies

CUSTOM HATCHING—2½c per  
egg. Mapleawn Hatchery. Zim-  
merman, O. Electric incubators.  
Dayton Phone County 61-R-2.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

FOR SALE—Good work horse.  
Price reasonable. Edgar Hurley,  
634 W. Main St.

100 HAMPSHIRE gilts at \$15 to \$18  
each. Immunized and real money  
makers. O. A. Dobbins, Cedar-  
ville.

27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—To buy—Wool. Dewine's  
Food Store, Jerome Ave., Phone  
501.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

1928 CHEV. CABRIOLET  
\$25.00  
Another Anniversary Sale  
Bargain

LANG CHEVROLET CO.  
Easy G. M. A. C. Terms

57 Used Cars For Sale

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### BRINGING UP FATHER

NOW REMEMBER WHILE I'M OUT  
DON'T LET 'FIFI' GET OUT OF YOUR SIGHT

BY GOLLY! I WISH I COULD GET HER OUT OF ME MIND

WELL-NOW THAT MAGGIE IS OUT YOU'RE GONA STAY LOCKED UP

AH! THANK GOODNESS I DON'T HAVE TO LOOK AT THAT MOSQUITO-FACED DOG

### "First Lady" To Be Heard On NBC Chain On Monday

By MILDRED MASON

AMERICA'S "First Lady of the

Land," Mrs. Herbert Hoover,

will speak over the NBC network

for the third time since occupying

the White House, Monday evening

from 7:45 to 8:05 o'clock. Her

talk will be under the auspices of

the women's division of the Presi-  
dent's emergency committee for

employment and will be a reply to

a report received from a Girl

Scout, representing all Girl Scouts

in the country, on the work the

scouts have done as their bit to

help the cause of the President's

committee.

Mrs. Hoover's other appearances

before the microphone were three

years ago when she spoke to mem-  
bers of the 4-H Clubs and two

# The Theater

Sparkling brand-new pictures—films that have gotten themselves talked about as among the best, will be screened in Xenia theaters during the coming week.

Two of them are still warm from the oven—"Sin Takes a Holiday," the ultra-star Pathé interpretation of a big office stage hit, which comes to the Orpheum Wednesday and Thursday and "The Man Who Came Back," the Fox vehicle in which Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell were reunited after their

"Fast and Loose," a Paramount picture in which youth has its fling, winds up the week at the Bijou with a one-day stand Saturday. Miriam Hopkins is featured by Carole Lombard, Frank Morgan, Charles Starrett, Henry Wadsworth, Winifred Harris, Herbert Yost, David Hutchison, Ilka Chase and Herschel Mayall have strong parts.



Kay Johnson

## Twenty Years '11- Ago -'31

Percy Read, one of the Gazette carrier boys, is spending a few days at Granville with his brother, Charles, a Denison student.

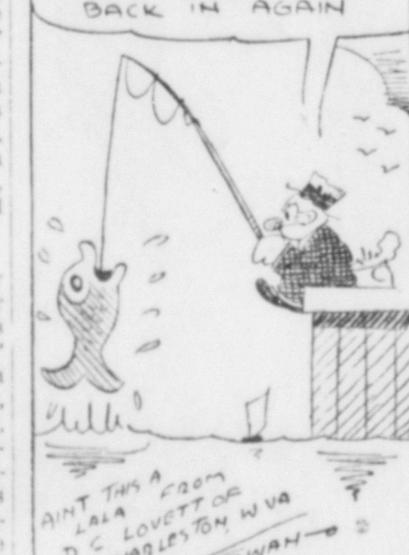
A tailoring concern, to be known as the Manhattan Tailoring Shop, will be opened soon in the corner room of the Manhattan Hotel with Joe Kennedy as one of the proprietors.

Paul Bishop, the driver, had gone to the elevator for some flour when the Moore grocery wagon was struck by a C. H. and D. freight train at the Belden grain elevator Friday.

Mr. Lewis Clark has taken a position at the Nesbitt shoe store.

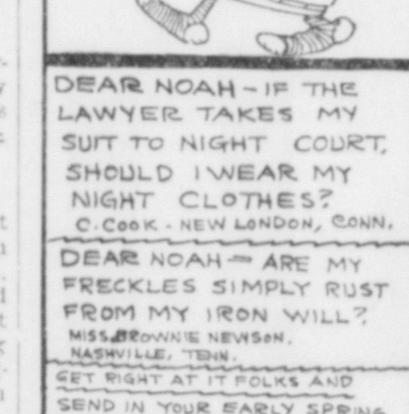
## NONSENSE

A POOH — HE'S TOO LITTLE — I'LL THROW HIM BACK IN AGAIN



## NOAH NUMSKULL

I'LL APPEAL TO THE POLICE!!



SEEK AIR OUTLAW

MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—A hunt has been under way here for an unauthorized broadcasting station. Power company officials answered complaints of static by testing out their lines and finding nothing wrong. Then they discovered signals were being sent by a station within a few miles of the town, blocking all sets within many miles.

## JUST AMONG US GIRLS



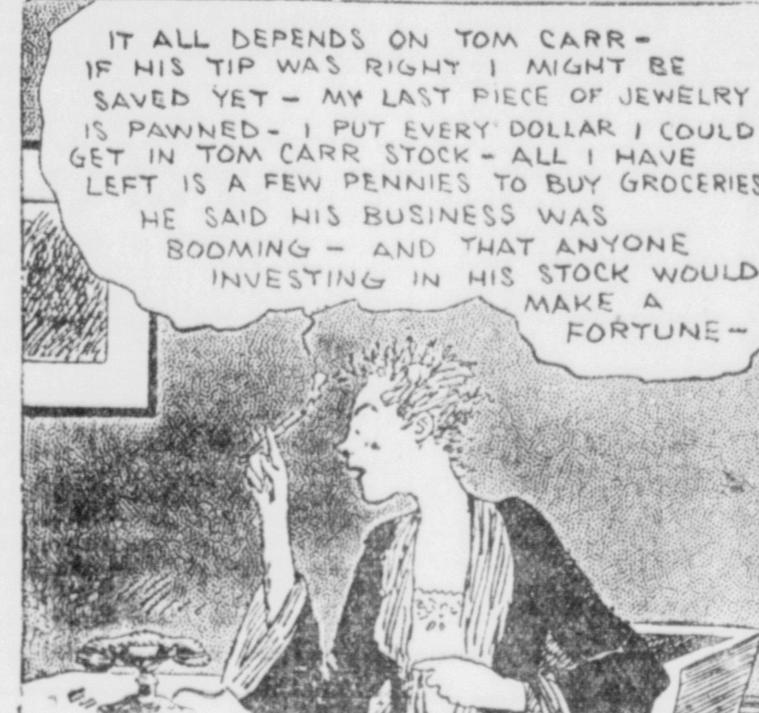
"Well, honey, how do you like our little love nest? It's small but comfortable." "But dear—we've simply got to have more closet space—you have no idea how many trunks mama has!"

## BIG SISTER—Open and Shut



By LESLIE FORGRAVE

## THE GUMPS—A Light Ahead



ETTA KETT—His Saving Grace



By PAUL ROBINSON



By PAUL ROBINSON

## MUGGS McGINNIS—A Money Back Guarantee



By WALLY BISHOP

## HIGH PRESSURE PETE—Keeping Fit



By EDWIN A. ROBINSON

## "CAP" STUBBS—All She Wants Is Quiet



By EDWIN A. ROBINSON

## UNDERGROUND CONDUITS TO AID IN ELIMINATING POLES IN XENIA

Details of the pole elimination project in the heart of the business district of Xenia, under the new plan conceived by the Ohio Bell Telephone Co., which calls for a reconstruction of the Bell's aerial system whereby the company's overhead construction on Detroit St. will be entirely removed, were disclosed Friday.

Officials of the telephone company submitted a new plan for such reconstruction at a second conference of the various utility interests, involving the re-routing of lines over existing poles.

It is proposed to construct a subway conduit under and across Main St. at the Collier St. intersection and another underground conduit across Detroit St. over the east line of this street at Third St. to the Pennsylvania Railroad right-of-way line on the west side of the street.

By this method all utilities will be accommodated and all lines now on Detroit and Main Sts. in the area extending two squares in each direction from the Main-Detroit intersection will be removed.

This plan was discussed by the representatives of the five utilities

## TWO RECEIVE FINES ON LIQUOR CHARGES AFTER COURT PLEAS

Heavy fines were meted out by Probate Judge S. C. Wright Friday to two Clark County youths, whose arrests last Tuesday were incidental to a search being conducted for a trio of bandits who committed two hold-ups in Greene and Clark Counties.

John Matthews, 19, Springfield, was fined \$300 and costs for possessing liquor, while Theodore Lee, 21, North Hampton, was fined \$200 and costs for possessing liquor and \$400 and costs for possessing apparatus for the manufacture of liquor. Both entered pleas of guilty and were remanded to jail to work out the assessments. After expiration of his jail sentence, Lee will be transferred to the Dayton workhouse to serve out the fine of \$400 and costs.

Authorities say that Lee, who gave a fictitious name when arrested, confessed to the theft of six automobiles and that records disclose he was paroled after being sentenced to from one to twenty years in the state reformatory several years ago in the Greene County courts.

The liquor charges filed against the youths were based on the discovery of a home-made, two-gallon still and a quantity of whiskey in their auto.

## PLAYERS GIVE TWO PLAYS, PANTOMIME

Miss Jessie Hathcock, Dayton, will play the lead in "The Rich Lady," one of two plays to be presented by the Negro Theater Guild of Dayton, at Galloway Hall, Wilberforce, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The other play is a one-act comedy, "The Pay Off" and a pantomime, "Madame Dubarry" will also be presented with Mrs. Lillian Mallory in the title part.

The scene for "The Rich Young Lady" is laid on board a steamer bound for France and other members of this cast are Lloyd Perry, H. Shaw and R. Oldwine.

The Dayton players are appearing at Wilberforce in return for an appearance of the Wilberforce Players in Dayton recently. Proceeds from the performance will go to the Wilberforce Diamond Jubilee fund and arrangements for the appearance of the Dayton players have been made by Mrs. M. F. Valentine and Prof. Mack Green.

## FORMER XENIAN IS EDITOR OF PAPER

Miss Barbara Shumaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Shumaker, Columbus, formerly of this city, is editor-in-chief of "The Bexley Torch," Bexley High School, paper Columbus, which was awarded first place in the Class C senior division of the Columbia Scholastic Press Conference in New York city recently.

"The Optic," high school publication of South High School, Columbus, was awarded first place in the Class A senior division. Eight hundred school papers and magazines were entered in the contest.

### Indifferent



Alleged confessor to the brutal hammer attack which resulted in the death of Mrs. Clara E. C. Ellis, wealthy widow of Haverhill, Mass., Russell Noble, 17-year-old high school student fails to show any evidence of remorse or a gnawing conscience in this "happily-looking" photo. Noble was arraigned in Haverhill court to answer charge of murder.

## Path to Tinsel Love Ends in Tragedy

Death of Vivian Gordon Recalls Fate of Other Broadway Butterflies Who Have Flitted Round Pleasure's Flame.

By ALICE ALDEN.

NEW YORK. March 21. There are ghosts hovering over that hectic, fantastic playground they call Broadway, ghosts of beautiful women who have drunk deep from Life's goblet only to find that Death lurked in the dregs.

It is a sad list, that list of beautiful women who live dangerously and sometimes die mysteriously, with never a real clue as to the identity of their murderer. And now to this sad roster must be added the name of Vivian Gordon, who was of Broadway, who knew its "big shots," who lived in luxury, and who has died as mysteriously as she lived. A bizarre existence she seems to have had, this beautiful Vivian Gordon, who went to her death wearing a costly mink coat and dazzling gems of great value. Her diary indicates that she had reason to fear several—that danger constantly threatened. But she fluttered on amidst the bright lights of the Main Stem and perhaps went to her death with men she thought she could trust, companions, playmates in the Broadway playground.

Once again there are clues, questionings, witnesses, some open, some secret. Just as there were a few years ago when beautiful Dot King was found, her gay life snuffed out amidst the silken hangings and brightly colored cushions of her luxurious boudoir.

Dot King, too, had lived dangerously. The underworld was familiar with her affair with a millionaire clubman and like jackals hovered round to secure crumbs from the feast of gold. And while she was in the heyday of her youth and beauty, while she was at the height of her "success" as Broadway knows it, someone, gained access to her apartment and snuffed out her life with chloroform. Was it a blackmailer? Well, would a blackmailer want to kill the goose that laid the golden eggs? Was it a lover who was too poor to buy even her attention? As yet the mystery is unsolved. Just an unfinished thread in the tapestry that is Broadway.

Some years ago a sweet and pretty girl came to the modern Mecca, New York, all afame with ambition to be a great pianist. Diligently she studied, practised, until one day she fell in with some girls who were successful in teaching her that ambition was dull compared with pleasure and luxury.

So Louise Lawson, too, took the easiest way and her apartment was also furnished beautifully even luxuriously. Louise wore exquisite clothes, life and men seemed kind to her. And then on the morning of Feb. 8, 1924, Louise Lawson's maid let herself into the uptown apartment only to find her mistress, scantily clad, lying on her soft, silk-hung bed, dead. The lovely neck of Louise Lawson was wearing, instead of the pearls, that it knew, a necklace of marks of strangulation and tape had been wound again and again about her lovely face. The room had been ransacked, valuable jewelry was missing. Was this merely a blind? Again the police were faced with a mystery of the Dot King type. And again their clues led them to nowhere but a dead end. She, too, had rich men friends, protectors. She too, liked clothes, gems, excitement, and she, too, died as mysteriously as she had lived. And so it goes.

Not all of the Broadway butterflies have met so terrible a death. But many of them live so dangerously that death is ever near them. Beautiful little Marion Roberts, almost a child still when she met the notorious Jack "Legs" Diamond, was precious close to death when Jack was shot in her suite.

## NOTICE

# Farmers

## NOTICE

### POULTRY WANTED

The price you have been looking for. Paying for Hens 20c to 21c. Need 5000 Lbs. At Once.

Call 164 Cedarville  
Wm. Marshall

**Bijou**  
TONIGHT  
Ben Lyon - Ona Munson  
Walter Pidgon - Thelma Todd  
in a hotsy totsy comedy romance that will burn up your blues.

**“THE HOT HEIRESS”**

Also a two reel comedy and cartoon

SUNDAY-MONDAY

**Charles Farrell - Janet Gaynor**

The screen's favorite sweethearts, united again in the year's most sensational drama, of love, of sacrifice, of regeneration.

**“The Man Who Came Back”**

Also Charley Chase two reel comedy

## KRESGE BUILDING NEAR COMPLETION

Removal of the superstructure has revealed the handsome front of the new two-story addition erected by the S. S. Kresge Co., on S. Detroit St. on the former site of the Allen Bldg., which was razed. The building, which is nearing completion, will be operated by the Kresge company as a 25 cent to \$1 store. It is adjjoined to the south by a 5, 10 and 25 cent store also operated by the Kresge firm.

## NEW BURLINGTON

Agnes Turner is recovering from an operation for the removal of tonsils at Dublin, Ohio, last week.

The body of O. W. Hamilton of Dayton was brought here for burial Sunday afternoon at the cemetery east of town. He was for many years a barber and harness maker in this village. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lee Morris and a son, George Hamilton of Dayton. He was aged 82 years, his wife predeceased him several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry McMillan moved Wednesday from the Arv farm, near Port William to the Samuel Wilson place in South Burlington.

Miss Ruby Smith is visiting at the homes of her brothers Charlton and Forest Smith at Columbus.

B. H. Miller and family spent Sunday with Samuel Boyd and family near White Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams Dickinson spent Sunday with his parents at Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin of Sabin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carr and baby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralla Lemer of Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. De

Haven spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Lemer.

Ruth Reeves spent the weekend with her aunts Misses Jennie and Josie Reeves at Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mitchner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanley and family at their new home near Lees Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchner entertained the Fellowship Class of the Friends Sabbath School Class at their home west of town Friday evening.

Mrs. Jesse Hill entertained members of the Dorcas Society Saturday evening when the Community Club held the regular March meeting. After the business meeting and election of officers the program committee gave an interesting hour of music and playlets. Then the social committee served a covered dish supper consisting of sandwiches, salads, baked beans, pie, and coffee.

Jonathon Sayers of Springfield was the guest of his brother, Wm. Sayers and family on Saturday of last week.

and relatives to Highland County Sunday where they were guests of relatives.

Miss Bertha Terrell of New Vienna is visiting at the home of her niece Mrs. Homer Haines.

Richard, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haines is ill with intestinal grip.

The W. C. T. U. held its monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Rees.

The school room was filled Tuesday evening when the Community Club held the regular March meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adams Dickinson Sr. are announcing the marriage of their son Adams Dickinson Jr. to Miss Mildred Nolan of Columbus, Ohio, March 7, 1931. They will reside in Columbus, where the groom is employed with the Gordon Electric Company.

Fred McKinney and daughters Miss Freda and Carolyn accompanied

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